

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. SESSIONS. I ask unanimous consent that the Senate stand in recess from the hours of 12:30 to 2:15 for the weekly party luncheons.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

PROGRAM

Mr. SESSIONS. For the information of all Senators, tomorrow morning the Senate will resume consideration of the pending flag desecration resolution. Under the order, there will be 2 hours remaining for debate relating to the Hollings amendment, to be followed by an additional hour for general debate. At 2:15 on Tuesday, following the party luncheons, the Senate will proceed to two consecutive votes on the pending amendments to the flag desecration resolution. It is hoped that following those votes, the Senate will be able to reach a consent agreement

regarding the passage vote of S. J. Res. 14. As a reminder, if an agreement is not reached for a vote on passage, then under the provisions of rule XXII, a cloture vote will occur on Wednesday of this week.

I thank all the Members for their attention.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 9:30 A.M. TOMORROW

Mr. SESSIONS. If there is no further business to come before the Senate, I now ask the Senate stand in adjournment under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 6:45 p.m., adjourned until Tuesday, March 28, 2000, at 9:30 a.m.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate March 27, 2000:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

GREGORY G. GOVAN, OF VIRGINIA, FOR THE RANK OF AMBASSADOR DURING HIS TENURE OF SERVICE AS

CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE TO THE JOINT CONSULTATIVE GROUP. (NEW POSITION)

THE JUDICIARY

BEVERLY B. MARTIN, OF GEORGIA, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA, VICE G. ERNEST TIDWELL, RETIRED.

ROGER L. HUNT, OF NEVADA, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEVADA, VICE A NEW POSITION CREATED BY PUBLIC LAW 106-113, APPROVED NOVEMBER 29, 1999.

WITHDRAWALS

Executive messages transmitted by the President to the Senate on March 27, 2000, withdrawing from further Senate consideration the following nominations:

THE JUDICIARY

GAIL S. TUSAN, OF GEORGIA, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA, VICE G. ERNEST TIDWELL, RETIRED, WHICH WAS SENT TO THE SENATE ON AUGUST 3, 1999.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

JOSE ANTONIO PEREZ, OF CALIFORNIA, TO BE UNITED STATES MARSHAL FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE STEPHEN SIMPSON GREGG, WHICH WAS SENT TO THE SENATE ON JANUARY 6, 1999.